Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

There is no issue more important. People in a democracy cannot make good decisions if they are manipulated. That's why we have laws against airing one-sided partisan politics on public airways.

Please protect our democracy by requiring Sinclair Broadcasting to reverse their decision (forcing stations to air "Stolen Honor"). Or failing that, please require that they air a balancing program such as "Going Upriver" immediately afterward.

We depend on you to act promptly.

Thank you very much, Laurel Pollard